

Hi everyone my name is Nasshard Thompson and I attend Great Oaks Charter school In Bridgeport ct. Before I continue I would like to thank everyone here for giving me the opportunity to be here. I would like to talk about how public schools should be funded depending on their learning needs and not depending on the school they attend. Students who attend charter schools aren't allowed to have the same high school experience as a student who attends a normal public school such as sports teams and more. I have been attending great oaks charter school since i was in the sixth grade and throughout the years my school has supported us as students in the best way possible when it comes to education but one problem that we have is that we aren't able to have our own sports teams because of the lack of funds. Because we don't have these extracurricular activities this can affect our chances of getting picked by colleges and getting scholarships because those are the things that colleges are interested in and wanna see on your resume . Thank you for your time today and I hope you guys have a great afternoon.Thank you.